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Report for the month of JULY, 1945.

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This report gives the latest available figures relative to Population; Marriages, Births and Deaths; Land Settlement; State Government Revenue and Expenditure; Savings Banks; Bank Clearances; Real Estate Transactions; Sales Tax; Companies Registered and Bankruptcy; Government Railway Operations; Motor Vehicle Registrations; Trade; Building Permits; Butter Production; Gold Output and Dividends Reported; Prices; Employment; and Electricity Supply (Metropolitan Area).

POPULATION.

The population of the State on the 31st December, 1944, was estimated to be 488,348.

MARRIAGES, BIRTHS AND DEATHS - WESTERN AUSTRALIA.
(Issues prior to April 1945 contained particulars for Metropolitan Area only).

Note: Particulars relative to deaths refer to civilians only. 6 months ended 1945 1944 1944 2,387 1,894 245 414 No. Marriages 9.92 6.06 10.41 7.79 *Rate per 1000 of population 5,379 5.622 804 868 Births 22.35 23.13 21.83 Rate per 1000 19.90 of population. 2,126 2,190 No. 364 399 Deaths 8.83 9.01 Rate per 1000 9.01 10.03 of population 173 27 36 152 Infant Mortality No. 33,58 32.16 Rate per 1000 41.47 27.04 live births PRINCIPAL CAUSES OF DEATH -80 80 10 20 Tuberculosis 267 43 38 277 Cancer 1 2 Influenza 7 9 1 1 Diphtheria. 179 37 214 37 Cerebral Haemorrhage, etc. 91 26 12 83 Arteriosclerosis 505 107 95 563 Diseases of the Heart Pneumonia and Broncho-Pneumonia 126 158 22 37 26 33 Diarrhoea and Enteritis 4 9 86 78 17 13 Nephritis 92 88 19 14 Diseases of Early Infancy 74 80 11 16 Senility 125 20 116 19 Accidents 435 68 439 All Other Causes 66 2,190 2,126 364 399

Equivalent Annual Rate.

LAND SETTLEMENT.

Land taken up under conditional alienation during the seven months ended July 1945 totalled 134,034 acres, an increase of 14,763 acres on the corresponding period last year. Pastoral, special and miscellaneous leases registered amounted to 1,130,790 acres, a decrease of 793,036 acres.

STATE GOVERNMENT CONSOLIDATED REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

and the state of t	Month of	July 1944	12 months, ended June 1945 1944		
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Revenue per Head of Population	961,392	986, 348	13,953,830	13,589,175	
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Expenditure Expenditure per Head of Population.	1,221,345	1,199,752	13,949,340	13,551,154	
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SAVINGS BANKS.

Deposits on the 31st July 1945 amounted to £32,190,774, or £65.8.0. per head of population, as against £26,376,051, or £54.5.9d. per head as at the 31st July last year.

BANK CLEARANCES.

The average weekly clearances for the 5 weeks ended 30th July, 1945, amounted to £2,961,179, compared with £2,653,519 for the corresponding period last year.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Registrations effected at the			JU	LY	12 months ended June		
Office	of Lan	d Tit	les and Deeds	1945	1944	1945	1944
Transfe	ers	,,	(No. (£.	1,045 371,7 5 4	800 353 , 858	10,436 4,123,163	7,690 3,117,305
Mortgag	ges	••	(No. (£,	338 299,598	227 305,498	3,037 3,031,985	2,232 1,785,822
Dischar	ges of	Mort	gages No,	577	505	5,917	5,707

SALES TAX: SALES OF TAXABLE & EXEMPT GOODS AND TAX COLLECTED.

Month of	Tax	able Goods	Sales of	Tax	
Receipt of Returns	Sales in respect of which tax is payable (Gross)	Sales in respect of which tax is NOT payable (Gross)	Exempt Goods	Collected	
	£.	£.	£.	£.	
1944 - July August September October November December 1945 - January February March April	706, 185 813, 398 926, 471 1,099, 405 874,649 712,619 808,314 711,327 697,298 765,446	668,445 663,749 805,080 509,349 771,898 567,240 604,283 640,732 750,151 685,948	1,897,871 1,448,938 1,545,195 1,394,583 1,622,266 1,395,211 1,708,485 1,180,561 1,362,562 1,276,250	110,856 118,491 110,574 116,416 112,531 112,383 128,267 109,340 108,056 110,919	
ly ine	854,328 787,976	759,824 813,528	1,739,042 1,454,764	129,591 118,410	
ily	746,309	671.083	1,543,774	113,791	

COMPANIES REGISTERED.

One Local Company, with a nominal capital of £300,000, and three Foreign Companies were registered for the month of July, 1945. For the corresponding month last year there were three foreign companies registered.

BANKRUPTCY.

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	- man chart day	12 months ended June							
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Sequestration Orders	3	3,953	2,130	7	9,456	6,795			
Deeds of Assignment (a)	2	1,474	1,671	.1	780	661			
Deeds of Arrangement	-	7 		-	-	7.2			
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⁽a) Includes Compositions and Schemes of Arrangement.

TRANSPORT.

The operations of the State Government Railways open for general and passenger traffic were as follow:-

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Gross Harnings &	299,950	362,623	4,276,250	4,386,523
Working Expenses	527,555	337,973	3,764,290	3,795,929
Train miles run	493, 133	520,939	6, 262, 697	6,132,056
Passenger Journeys	1,531,578	1,704,341	18,099,395	18,773,221
Tonnage carried - Paying Goods Livestock Departmental (Free Freight)	200,349 7,024 42,955	234,573 11,641 45,699	2,765,099 139,332 558,553	2,410,417 149,720 472,866
Total	250,328	291,913	3,462,984	3,033,003
Net Ton Mileage of - Paying Goods Livestock Departmental (Free Freight)	25, 228, 416 691,089 5,981,390	25,979,604 1,222,903 6,798,479	319,516,276 15,281,119 78,509,759	289, 195, 857 17, 391, 644 69, 462, 024
Total	31,900,895	34,000,986	413,307,154	376,049,525

MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS.

(1) NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED (excluding Commonwealth-owned Vehicles).

in the pro-		METROPOLITA		ENTIRE STATE				
Period	Cars (in- cluding Hire Cars)	Wagons, Vans, Utilities	Buses	Motor Cycles	Cars (in- cluding Hire Cars)	Wagons, Vans, Utilities		Motor Cycles
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Year 1944	23	310	5	35	28	803	9	93
January February March April May June July	5 1 1 2 6	8 15 26 20 22 20 20	1 1 2 2 2 2	12 24 2 24 7 7	5 -3 1 2 9 (a)	30 38 33 79 110 20 (a)	1 1 4 - (a)	15 4 33 8 55 7 (a)

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(2) MOTOR VEHICLES IN USE (EFFECTIVE REGISTRATIONS). (Excluding Commonwealth-owned Vehicles)

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Date			ENTIRE STATE					
(as at end of month)	Cars (in- cluding Hire Cars)	METROPOLITA Wagons, Vans, Utilities	Buses	Motor Cycles	Cars (in- cluding Hire Cars)	Wagons, Vans, Utilities	Buses	Motor Cycles
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
June December	18,133 18,083	5,578 6,244	231 246	2,639 2,491	30,295 30,051	22, 183 22, 946	276 298	4,324 4,031
January February March April May June	18,135 18,261 18,265 18,380 18,464 18,478 17,732	6,305 6,384 6,384 6,498 6,599 6,603 6,019	242 244 244 244 244 244 244 186	2,543 2,612 2,616 2,695 2,775 2,783 2,483	29,754 30,199 30,311 30,370 30,602 30,635 (a)	22,042 22,687 22,913 23,185 23,590 23,649 (a)	289 296 297 294 295 294 (a)	4,043 4,193 4,240 4,376 4,487 4,501 (a)

(a) Not yet available.

(3) COMMONWEALTH-OWNED VEHICLES (excluding Defence Service Vehicles).

	Cars	Wagons, Vans, etc.	Buses	Motor Cycles
1945 - JUNE	88	366	4	6

TRADE.

Trade of Testern Australia (Interstate and Oversea) during the year ended June 1945 and 1944 respectively, expressed in terms of Australian

currency:		- An attended to the control of the control	- Brodesader alle alle pelperaturality alle relievation	Age toget to the fight time to dee to deliver the responsible to deliver the time to the t	discon. On segment of the second		
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	Imports 1944		1945	1945 1944		1944	
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Interstate	13,432	13,314	5,834	6,775	19,266	20,089	
Oversea	5,052	4,260	13,570	12,757	18,622	17.017	
TOTAL	18,484	17,574	19,404	19,532	37,888	37,106	
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BUILDING ACTIVITY.

(1) PERMITS ISSUED IN THE METROPOLITAN AREA.

Period	E. S. Prof. Phys. B 50 (1997)	wellings Hotels				Additions and Alterations		Total Permits Issued	
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JULY, 1945	46	33,529	1	206	1.55	9,204	216	54,021	
JULY, 1944	21	10,994	3	8,903	81	5,435	105	25,332	
Year ended June, 1945	530 3	62,811	20	45,079	1430	196,019	1,980	603,909	
Year ended June, 1944	121	58,323	20	39,998	967	140,380	1,108	238,701	

(2) PERMITS ISSUED IN COUNTRY DISTRICTS. (15 Local Government Authorities)

Period	an	Dwellings d Hotels Value £.	Facto	, Warehouses, ries, etc. Value £.	VI.	tions and terations Value £.		Permits sued Value £.
JULY, 1945	3	2,940	2	550	27	1,118	32	4,608
JULY, 1944	17	13,505			28	4,463	45	17,968
Year ended	73	54,729	13	9,056	273	15,446	359	79,231
June, 1945 Year ended June, 1944	21	10,491	8	1,885	189	9,141	218	21,517

BUTTER PRODUCTION IN FACTORIES.

856,574 lbs. were produced during June 1945, and 12,684,353 lbs. for the twelve months ended June 1945, as against 707,422 lbs. and 13,817,434 lbs. respectively for the corresponding periods last year.

GOLD PRODUCTION.

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	JULY		7 months ended July		
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Quantity Fine Oz.	39,862	36,581	262,098	251,000	
Value (Australian Currency) £.	429,009	384,103	2,788,338	2,625,306	
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Dividends reported by Gold Mining Companies for the seven months ended July 1945 amounted to £173,041, as against £507,313 for the corresponding period last year.

RETAIL PRICES INDEX-NUMBERS.

(Base, weighted average of six capital cities for 1923/27 = 1000).

	JULY	JULY.		12 months ended June		
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Food and Groceries: Metropolitan Area	1069	1069	1060	1054		
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	1203	1187	1188	1172		
Northam	1080	1085	1070	1063		
Bunbury	1057	1053	1044	1029		
Geraldton	1094	1117	1089	1097		

EMPLOYMENT INDEX SERIES.

Month	FACTORIES. (Base: 1928/29 (19,799 Employees) = 100).			Retail Establishments (b) (Base: July 1941 (9,578 Employees) = 1000)						
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January February March April May June July August Sept. October November December	109 111 112 111 112 113 113 113 114 115 116 118	116 118 118 119 118 117 119 120 122 123 124	128 130 132 134 135 136 136 137 138 136 137	137 138 139 139 140 139 140(a) 140 140 141 142 143	142 143 142 142 143 143	1000 987 994 996 1016 1028	1014 986 962 955 927 907 888 882 877 874 873 886	865 861 846 835 836 835 828 814 806 801 814 840	826 824 825 827 832 832 832 834 837 851 886	870 868 877 876 891 903

(a) Figures subsequent to June 1944 are preliminary and are based primarily on Pay Roll Tax Returns.(b) Indexes computed by Commonwealth Statistician from Pay Roll Tax Returns.

ELECTRICITY SUPPLY - METROPOLITAN AREA.

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	JULY		12 months ended June		udir de la desi	
t from a large and an analysis	1945	1944	1945	1944		
Units Generated .: (1000 K.W.H.)	17,732	16,677	186,377	174,534		
Units Sold (1000 K.W.H.)	15,398	14,029	157,605	148,301		
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